

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking Adopting  
Rules To Account For The Consideration  
Received By Regulated California Electric  
And Natural Gas Utilities Under A  
Settlement With El Paso Natural Gas  
Company, et al.

Rulemaking 03-07-008  
(Filed July 10, 2003)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING  
GRANTING MOTIONS FOR APPEARANCE STATUS  
AND FILING OF COMMENTS**

A motion is required for additions or changes to the appearance portion of the service list. Responses are due within 2 days. (See Scoping Memo and Ruling dated July 30, 2003, ordering paragraph 5.)

On August 4, 2003, three letters were received asking for entry in, or change to, the appearance category (either due to oversight or possible error in creating the list). By electronic mail note distributed August 4, 2003, I advised parties that I would treat the three letters as motions for appearance status, and that responses would be due by August 6, 2003. No responses to the motions have been received. The motions are unopposed, and should be granted.

Initial comments and proposals on ratemaking and accounting rules were due by August 4, 2003. The record in this proceeding is composed of all filed and served documents. (Scoping Memo, ordering paragraph 4.) Only appearances may file documents. The letters were accompanied by comments also dated August 4, 2003, for the purpose of filing and service. To ensure the

comments are in the record, this ruling clarifies that comments dated August 4, 2003 from these three parties are to be filed in this proceeding.

**IT IS RULED** that the August 4, 2003 motions for appearance status are granted. Process Office shall make the following entries into the appearance category, or change the category from information only to appearance, as necessary and appropriate. Docket Office and Central Files shall file in this proceeding the comments dated August 4, 2003 from each party noted below.

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Burton W. Mattson  
Administrative Law Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Motions For Appearance Status and Filing of Comments on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated August 7, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS

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